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entitled TREE-BASED CERTIFICATE REVOCATION SYSTEM

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- (X) 13 pages of written description, claims and abstract.
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- () an assignment of the invention to _____.
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- () a certified copy of a _____ application.
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- () a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
- () information disclosure statement and cited references.
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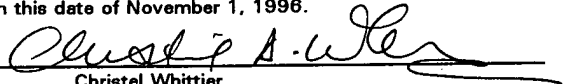
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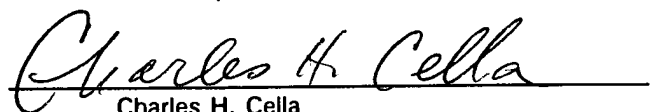
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